

# Caledonian Mercury.

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**MR SCOTT**  
INTENDS to begin a COURSE of GEOGRAPHY for  
YOUNG LADIES, on Monday next, the 14th instant, at  
11 o'clock.  
English Classes and PRIVATE TEACHING as usual.

**SURGERY.**  
**MR RUSSEL** will begin a COURSE of CLINICAL  
LECTURES on SURGERY, at the Royal Infirmary,  
Edinburgh, on Monday, the 4th of November, at 5 o'clock in  
the evening.

**CHEMISTRY AND PHARMACY.**  
**MR NELSON** will begin his usual Course of Lectures on  
CHEMISTRY and PHARMACY, on Tuesday No-  
vember 14th, at ten o'clock forenoon, and a similar Course at  
seven o'clock in the evening, at his Class-room, Surgeon's  
Square. Gentlemen to whom it may be convenient will have  
the liberty of attending both Lectures.  
In these Courses, a particular attention will be paid to  
PNEUMATIC CHEMISTRY; and an extensive series of  
Experiments and Processes will be exhibited in every Branch of  
Chemical Science.  
Tickets, Two Guineas—Perpetual Tickets, Four Guineas.  
Mr N. will admit a few Gentlemen as Practising Pu-  
pils, Five Guineas.

**BANK NOTES FOUND.**  
There was Found in or about the Black Ball Inn, last week,  
by a Gentleman,  
SOME BANK NOTES.—Whoever can prove the property,  
will have them restored, by applying to S. Paterson,  
merchant, Luckenbooths, upon paying the expense of ad-  
vertising.  
Edinburgh, 7th October 1799.

**WANTED AT MARTINMAS NEXT.**  
A YOUNG MAN, as a Servant.—None need apply but  
such as can be properly recommended, and have been  
as year at least in their last place.—Inquire at A. Adamson,  
at the Printing-office. Not to be repeated.

**A MASTER IS WANTED**  
For the Charity Work House of St Andrew's or West Kirk.  
The office of Master in that house requires that he should  
perform Family Worship morning and evening, that  
he should teach the children Reading and Church Music, and  
instruct them in the Principles of Religion, and that he should  
be acquainted with Arithmetic, and the Method of Keeping  
Accounts.  
N. B. Those who mean to apply may lodge certificates of  
their moral character and qualifications with either of the Mi-  
nisters of West Kirk, (who will inform them of their encou-  
ragement) betwixt and the 22d current, when a Committee is  
appointed to examine and judge of the Candidates who may  
offer themselves, at eleven o'clock forenoon.  
Not to be repeated.

**WANTS A PLACE.**  
Immediately, or at Martinmas next,  
A GRIEVE, or OVERSEER, fit to undertake the ma-  
nagement of an Estate, or farm of some considerable  
extent. Can write a fair good hand, and keep books—has a  
thorough knowledge of Sheep, Black Cattle, &c.—was many  
years in England—will produce satisfactory testimonials of his  
honesty, sobriety, attention, and skill.  
Letters (post paid) addressed to A. B. at Mr Johnson's,  
Writer, Cupar Fife, will be instantly attended to.

**FLAX FROM HAMBURG ON CONSIGNMENT.**  
TEN TONS to be Sold by Public Sale, at the warehouse of  
James Eilands and Co. merchants, Leith, on Tuesday  
the 15th current, at 12 o'clock.

**SALE OF BRITISH LINEN COMPANY STOCK.**  
TO BE SOLD,  
SEVERAL SHARES OF BRITISH LINEN COMPANY  
STOCK.  
Apply to Archibald and John Todd, W. S.

**DUTCH FLAX AND RUSSIA LINEN.**  
ON SALE,  
THREE HUNDRED MATTS DUTCH FLAX, well as-  
sorted.  
ONE HUNDRED Pieces RAVENDUCKS.  
TWENTY Pieces SHEETINGS,  
Which will be Sold upon Reasonable Terms.  
Apply to GEORGE SIM, Tolbooth-wynd, Leith.

**DALKEITH FAIR.**  
THIS is to inform all Dealers who frequent Dalkeith Fair,  
That as Falkirk Tryst this year to be held on Tuesday  
the 15th inst. Dalkeith Fair is PUT OFF till TUESDAY  
the TWENTY-SECOND inst. when it will be held in the u-  
ual place.

**ROUP OF CATTLE.**  
At St CLEMENT'S WELLS, by Musselburgh.  
There will be exposed to public roup, on Friday the 11th Oc-  
tober, at ten o'clock forenoon,  
A Great number of FAT CATTLE, consisting of COWS  
and STOUTS.

**FURNISHED LODGINGS TO LET.**  
A NEAT DINING-ROOM, and PARLOUR or Bed-Room  
contiguous, in a pleasant situation on the south side of  
the town, fronting Nicolson's Square; also, accommodation for  
a servant, if required.—Rent moderate to an agreeable tenant.  
Apply to Mr Murray, confectioner, High Street.

**ESTATE OF ALDERSTON.**  
THE SALE of the LANDS and ESTATE of ALDER-  
STON is POSTPONED at the request of intended purcha-  
sers. If not sold by private bargain, it will be again adver-  
tised, and a day of sale positively fixed.

**AT LEITH, FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER,**  
The American Brig  
HANNAH,  
CHARLES GOODRICH Master;  
143 tons register.  
The Hannah is a very stout vessel, and sails fast.  
Apply to Corbet, Russell, and Co. Glasgow; or to Corbet,  
Cameron, and Co. Leith.  
Oct. 8. 1799.

**AT LEITH—FOR LONDON, DIRECT,**  
The Old Shipping Company's Smack,  
CALEDONIA PACKET,  
A new vessel, with elegant accommodation for  
passengers,  
Will take in goods till Saturday evening, and  
sail on Sunday at one o'clock afternoon.  
Old Shipping Company's Office,  
Leith, Oct. 9. 1799.

**AT LEITH—FOR LONDON, DIRECT,**  
The Union Shipping Company's Armed Smack,  
LEITH PACKET,  
Captain SCOTT,  
Will take in goods till Saturday evening, and  
will sail on Sunday afternoon, at one o'clock.  
Union Shipping Co's Office,  
Leith, Oct. 9. 1799.

**FOR PORT ANTONIO, ANNOTTO BAY, PORT  
MARIA, and ORACABESSA in JAMAICA,**  
THE SHIP GARTHLAND,  
Of 300 tons, copper fastened, & copper sheathed,  
ROBERT LEITCH Master,  
Now at Greenock, will be ready to receive  
goods on board by the 5th October, and to  
sail by the 25th of that month. The Garth-  
land is a new vessel, mounts ten carriage guns, will have upwards of  
twenty people, and is to join the first convoy going from Cork  
for the West Indies in November.  
For freight or passage, apply to Walker Ritchie and Co. in  
Greenock.—Sept. 25. 1799.

**LUCKY LOTTERY OFFICE.**  
Tickets and Shares of Tickets, in both the present Lotteries, in the  
greatest Variety of Numbers, are now selling by J. BRANN-  
COMB, one of the Original Contractors for the present IRISH  
LOTTERY, and Proprietor of the Lucky Lottery Office.

**A T. A. SHEVWRIGHT, No. 12, NICOLSON'S STREET,**  
Edinburgh—and No. 11, Holborn, London,  
AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES, viz.  
Irish Ticket only L. 7 14 0 British Ticket only L. 15 10 0  
Halves - 4 2 0 Halves - 7 19 0  
Quarters - 2 1 0 Quarters - 4 0 0  
Eighths - 1 1 6 Eighths - 2 0 6  
Sixteenths - 0 11 0 Sixteenths - 1 0 6

Registering per share 6d.  
CAPITAL PRIZES SOLD, SHARED, AND REGISTERED at the  
above Offices, in LAST IRISH LOTTERY.  
No. 27,167 entitled to L. 10,000  
16,321 ..... 2000  
1709 ..... 500

AND IN FORMER LOTTERIES.  
Prizes. Value. Total. Prizes. Value. Total.  
3 of L. 30,000 is L. 90,000 14 of L. 2000 is L. 28,000  
6 - 20,000 - 120,000 19 - 2000 - 38,000  
6 - 10,000 - 60,000 45 - 1000 - 45,000

With a great number of inferior values.  
N. B.—All orders for the above Office, transmitted by Post,  
or by CARRIERS, MAIL COACHMEN or GUARD, carefully ex-  
ecuted without any additional expense to the adventurers, and  
PRIZES PAID ON DEMAND.—SCHEMES GRATIS.

**ENGLISH AND IRISH STATE LOTTERIES**  
For 1799.  
THE TICKETS are sold and divided into Halves, Quar-  
ters, Eighths, and Sixteenths.

**HAZARD, BURNE, & CO.—STOCK-BROKERS,**  
AT THEIR STATE LOTTERY OFFICE,  
No. 93, under the Royal Exchange, London, and no where  
else on their account.

All shares sold at this Office will be stamped agreeable to  
act of Parliament, and also with the Crown, and round it—  
a Hazard & Co's Lottery Office.  
Letters, post paid, duly answered, and schemes gratis.  
Orders, accompanied with short dated bills on London, or  
Post Office Orders, punctually attended to; and to prevent  
mistakes as well as delay, Correspondents are requested to  
transmit them by post.

Bank, India, and South Sea Stocks, with their several annui-  
ties, India Bonds, Exchequer Bills, and all kind of Govern-  
ment Securities, bought and sold by commission.  
PRESENT PRICE OF SHARES.

ENGLISH.		IRISH.	
Which begins Drawing	Which begins Drawing	Which begins Drawing	Which begins Drawing
March 3, 1800.	Nov. 1799.	Nov. 1799.	Nov. 1799.
Half, - L. 7 19 0	Half, - L. 4 2 0	Half, - L. 4 2 0	Half, - L. 4 2 0
Quarter, - 4 0 0	Quarter, - 2 2 0	Quarter, - 2 2 0	Quarter, - 2 2 0
Eighth, - 2 0 6	Eighth, - 1 1 6	Eighth, - 1 1 6	Eighth, - 1 1 6
Sixteenth, - 1 0 6	Sixteenth, - 0 11 0	Sixteenth, - 0 11 0	Sixteenth, - 0 11 0

**A GRAND SCHEME.**  
ENGLISH STATE LOTTERY, 1799,  
BEGINS DRAWING MARCH 3, 1800.

No. of Prizes.	Val. of each.	Total Val.
2 of	L. 30,000	L. 60,000
3 -	20,000	60,000
3 -	10,000	30,000
4 -	5,000	20,000
3 -	2,000	6,000
10 -	1,000	10,000
10 -	500	5,000
36 -	100	3,600
54 -	50	2,700
16,650 -	18	299,700
16,767 Prizes.		L. 500,000
38,433 Blanks.		
55,000		

Part of the above Capitals, will be determined as under, viz.  
First-drawn 20th Day 20,000  
Ditto — 26th Day 30,000

TICKETS and SHARES are selling at the Licensed Lottery-  
Offices in England, Scotland, and Ireland, at the  
present low prices, viz.

TICKETS.		L. 15 10 0		L. 2 0 6	
Halves - L. 7 19 0	Eighths -	Halves - L. 7 19 0	Eighths -	Halves - L. 7 19 0	Eighths -
Quarters - 4 0 0	Sixteenths -	Quarters - 4 0 0	Sixteenths -	Quarters - 4 0 0	Sixteenths -

**FIFTEEN INCOME TAX.**  
THE Commissioners of Appeal appointed for carrying into  
effect the several Acts of Parliament imposing a TAX  
upon INCOME, are to meet at the tax office in Cupar,  
on Monday the 28th of October instant, at 12 o'clock noon,  
for the purpose of hearing and discussing any appeals that may be  
offered against the assessments made by the Commissioners for  
the ordinary purposes of the acts.  
By order of the Commissioners,  
THOMAS HORSBURGH, Clerk.  
Cupar, 7th October, 1799.

**DESERVED.**  
From his Majesty's 72d Regiment of Foot,  
Quartermaster at Perth,  
GRAHAM ANDERSON, aged seventeen years, five feet  
six inches high; brown complexion, round visage, grey  
eyes, brown hair; born in the parish of Forgyandenny, in  
the county of Perth, and by trade a weaver. He left the mid  
corps on the night of the 1st inst. He is supposed to have had  
on when he deserted, a short blue jacket, coloured waistcoat,  
corduroy breeches, and plain round hat; his face is somewhat  
freckled, and he is initiated at Perth on the 23rd September 1799.  
ONE GUINEA Reward will be allowed, over and above  
what is allowed by act of Parliament, to the person that ap-  
prehends the above deserter.  
R. M. CAMPBELL,  
Capt. and Adj. 72d Reg.

**VALUABLE SALMON FISHERIES.**  
To be LET, for seven seasons of Fishing, after Andermass 1800,  
THE WELF and GARTH SALMON FISHERIES on the  
river DEE, belonging to Mr Menzies of Pitfodels, at a  
yearly rent payable in equal moieties, upon the 20th of June  
and 20th December.  
Sealed offers to be lodged with Charles Bannerman, advo-  
cate in Aberdeen, on or before Monday the 12th of Novem-  
ber next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, when they will be opened  
and the highest offerer preferred on security.

To be LET, for seven seasons of Fishing after Andermass 1801,  
ELEVEN HALF NETS, or eleven-twelfths of the Sal-  
mon Fishing on the POT WATER, and Fifteen Half  
Nets or Fifteen-twelfths of the Salmon Fishing on the FORDS  
of DEE, belonging to Major Mercer, at a yearly rent, pay-  
able in equal moieties, upon the 20th of June and 20th of  
December.  
Sealed offers to be lodged with Charles Bannerman, advo-  
cate in Aberdeen, on or before Thursday the 15th of Novem-  
ber next, at eleven o'clock forenoon, when they will be opened,  
and the highest offerers preferred on security.

**HOUSE IN GEORGE'S STREET FOR SALE.**  
To be Sold by public auction, on Wednesday the 15th of Novem-  
ber next, within the Royal Exchange Coffee-house, at  
two o'clock afternoon,  
THAT HOUSE, No. 9, on the south side of George's  
Street, consisting of the first and sunk storeys, and con-  
taining eight fire rooms, two large sleeping closets, with back  
ground, cellars, water-pipe, and other conveniences, under  
lease for three years from Whitsunday 1799, at a rent of 70l.  
The premises may be seen on Mondays, Wednesdays, and  
Saturdays, between the hours of one & three o'clock afternoon;  
and for further particulars enquiry may be made at Mr Inglis,  
W. S. No. 49, Queen's Street, who has power to conclude a  
private bargain, previous to the day of sale.

**DUTCH FLOWER ROOTS.**  
DICKSONS AND CO.  
NURSERY, SEEDSMEN, & FLORISTS,  
New Town, Edinburgh.

BEG leave to acquaint their Friends and the Public, that  
they have just received, in excellent condition from HAA-  
LEST, in Holland, their Annual Choice Collection of FLOWER  
ROOTS, consisting of Double and Single Hyacinths; Polyan-  
thus Narcissus, in great variety, with and without names; Jon-  
quils, Tulips, Anemones, Ranunculus, Persian and Tur-  
ban; Crocuses, Crown Imperials, Irises, Marigold Lilies, &c.  
And, at their extensive NURSERIES on LEITH WALK, Complete Assortment of Fruit and Forest Trees, Flowering  
and Evergreen Shrubs, Hot-house, Green-house, and Herba-  
ceous Plants, of the very best quality, and on the most reason-  
able terms.

They beg leave to return their most sincere thanks to their  
Friends and the Public, for the liberal share of patronage they  
have enjoyed for many years; and assure them, that no atten-  
tion will be wanting to merit a continuance.  
N. B.—GARDENERS of good character, and well expe-  
rienced in their profession, may be heard of as above.

**DISOLUTION OF A PARTNERSHIP.**  
THE BALMOR COTTON COMPANY in Sutherland  
has been DISSOLVED for these last two years, and  
most of the claims satisfied. Any remaining debts of that Com-  
pany are undertaken to be satisfied by the new Company, estab-  
lished at the same place, under the firm of the SUTHER-  
LAND SPINNINGDALE COMPANY.

**FIFTHIRE TURNPIKES.**  
A GENERAL Meeting of the Trustees for making and  
repairing the Turnpike Roads in the county of Fife, is  
appointed to be held within the County Room of Cupar, on  
Tuesday the 22d October inst. at 12 o'clock noon, when  
The TOLLS and DUTIES leviable at the several Toll  
Gates within the said county will be exposed to public roup to  
be let in rack for one year from the term of Martinmas next,  
to the term of Martinmas following.

The Trustees for the Districts of Cupar, St Andrew's, and  
Kirkcaldy, have found it absolutely necessary for support of the  
Roads, to increase the Tolls leviable in the said respective  
Districts to the rates following, viz.

For every Coach, Chariot, Chaise, &c. drawn by 2 or  
more horses, or other beasts of draught, 2 6  
For every Coach, Chariot, Chaise, &c. drawn by four  
or five horses, or other beasts of draught, 1 6  
For every Coach, Chariot, Chaise, &c. drawn by two  
horses, or other beasts of draught, 0 9  
For every Chaise or Chair, &c. with two wheels drawn  
by two horses, or other beasts of draught, 0 8  
For every Chaise or Chair, &c. with two wheels, only  
drawn by one horse, or other beast of draught, 0 6  
For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage,  
drawn by six or more horses, or other beasts of draught, 3 0  
For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage,  
drawn by five horses, or other beasts of draught, 2 3  
For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage,  
drawn by four horses, or other beasts of draught, 1 3  
For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage,  
drawn by three horses or other beasts of draught, 0 9  
For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage,  
drawn by two horses, or other beasts of draught, 0 4  
For every Common Wain, drawn by two oxen, and  
two horses, or two oxen and one horse 0 4  
For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other Carriage,  
drawn by one horse, or other beast of draught, 0 3  
For every Horse, Mare, Gelding, Mule, or Ass,  
whereon any person shall ride 0 2  
For every Horse, Mare, or Gelding, Mule, or Ass,  
laden or unladen, and not drawing, 0 1 1/2  
For every Drive of Oxen or Neat Cattle, 1s. 3d. Sterling  
per Score, and so in proportion for a greater or lesser number.  
And where there are farthings or fractions, the Toll Gatherer  
to be entitled to exact a halfpenny.  
For every Drive of Calves, Hogs, Sheep, or Lambs, 3d  
per Score, and so in proportion for a greater or lesser num-  
ber. And where there are farthings or fractions, the Toll Ga-  
therer to be entitled to exact a halfpenny.  
The articles and conditions of roup will be seen in the hands  
of the Clerks of the said respective Districts, from whom all  
information necessary on the subject will be obtained.

**FEU DUTIES FOR SALE.**  
To be Sold by roup, within the Coffee-house, Dumfries, upon  
Wednesday the 30th October, 1799, between six and seven  
o'clock afternoon,  
THE RIGHT of SUPERIORITY, FEU-DUTIES and  
Casualties of Superiority of the Subjects aforementioned,  
situated in the village of Bridgend of Dumfries, parish of Tro-  
queer, and stewartry of Kirkcudbright, viz.

	Yearly Feu-duty, Sterling.
1.—Of the House belonging to the heirs of Peter Primrose, sometime inn keeper there, L. 5 0	
2.—Of the House and Yard belonging to the heirs of Rob. Primrose, late shoe-maker there, 1 0 6	
3.—Of the House and Yard belonging to the heirs of John Montgomery, 1 4 7 1/2	
4.—Of the Houses and Yard belonging to the heirs of Wm. Orr, late miller there, 1 8 5	
5.—Of the Houses and Yard belonging to or pos- sessed by Rob. Aitken and Geo. Caird, 1 9 5	
6.—Of the House and Yard belonging to William Henderson, miller, 1 8 7 1/2	
7.—Of the House and Yard belonging to Robert Shennan, miller, 1 8 7 1/2	

Total yearly feu-duties, L. 8 5 2 1/2  
The superiority, feu-duties, and casualties of all these Sub-  
jects, are to be exposed together in one lot, and in order to in-  
sure a sale of them the upset price will be only 90l. being very  
little more than eleven years purchase of the annual feu-duties,  
after deducting therefrom a feu-duty of 2s. 4d. 8-raths yearly,  
payable therefrom to the Family of Nithdale, with which the  
purchaser is to be burdened.

The articles of roup, inventories of the title deeds, and feu  
contracts, are in the hands of Messrs. Campbell, and M'Whin-  
nie, North Hanover Street, Edinburgh, who, or Rob. Ram-  
say, writer in Dumfries, will give such further information as  
may be desired.—Mr Ramsay will shew the rental and point  
out the subjects.

**SALE OF LANDS**  
IN THE COUNTY OF FORFAR.  
To be Sold by public roup, within the house of Miss Fildan,  
vintner in Arbroath, upon Tuesday the 29th day of Octo-  
ber current, betwixt the hours of twelve noon and one o'-  
clock afternoon,  
THE ESTATE of LOCHLANDS, lying in the parish of  
St Vigeans, and county of Forfar.

These lands are pleasantly situated close by the thriving  
manufacturing town of Arbroath; are bounded on both sides  
by a turnpike road, and consist of about 7 1/2 arable acres, of a  
good soil, and betwixt four and five acres of Hill and Lochs.  
The present rent, after deducting public burdens, is 148l. Ster-  
ling, 43l. of which is yearly feu-duty payable out of about five  
acres, adjoining to the town, which were feued some years  
ago; and it is probable that some acres more of the same field  
may be feued to greater advantage. The purchaser can enter  
to about 35 acres of the best of the land at Martinmas 1800,  
and to the rest at Whitsunday 1801, when a very long lease  
expires, and a great rise of rent may be expected. The lands  
afford a Freehold Qualification, which may be sold either with  
or without the property, as purchasers shall incline. There  
are upon the estate many beautiful situations for building,  
commanding a fine view of the sea, the town, and the adjacent  
country; these advantages render it a very desirable  
purchase. A considerable part of the price may remain in the  
purchaser's hand upon proper security.

For further particulars application may be made to the pro-  
prietor at Manse of Maryton by Montrose, or to Charles  
Greenhill, Esq. at Old Montrose, who has power to conclude a  
bargain before the day of sale; and Messrs. Pettig, brewer in  
Arbroath, will show the lands.

**REWARD OF ONE HUNDRED POUNDS.**  
ESCAPED from Justice one charge of MURDER, ALEX-  
ANDER DODDS, of Cumberley, in the parish of Hat-  
ton, in the county of Berwick in North Britain, imprisoned.

The said Alexander Dodds was a sister to Mr Adam John-  
son, farmer in Cumberley, is about twenty years of age, five feet  
nine or ten inches high; has short black curled hair, wears a  
blue jacket, corduroy breeches, blue stockings and a round hat;  
is of a swarthy complexion, speaks the Berwickshire dialect,  
and was born in the parish of Lawder, had in his pocket a sil-  
ver watch which has no name or number upon it, was bred to  
husbandry, and his mother resides at Blackburn Mill near Old-  
ham Stocks.

The crime of Wilful Murder of which this man stands charged,  
on the verdict of the Coroner's Inquest for this Borough,  
by forcibly running down on the highway on Wednesday last,  
a young woman named MARGARET CURRIE, of this place,  
and thereby causing her death, is of itself sufficiently heinous,  
but when coupled with the danger to which every traveller is  
daily exposed from the brutal conduct of the generality of law-  
less in this neighbourhood, the strictest execution of the law  
upon such offenders is indispensably called for. It is therefore  
expected, that every well-wisher to the peace and safety of the  
public will exert himself in his endeavour, and a Reward of  
ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered and paid to  
any Person or Persons, who will apprehend and deliver up to  
the Magistrates of Berwick-upon-Tweed the above-named  
Alexander Dodds, to be paid on his commitment by James  
Turnbull, attorney at law there.

By Order of Mr Mayor and Magistrates,  
JAMES TURNBULL, Solicitor.

**NEW TEAS AND SUGARS.**  
JOSEPH THORBURN is happy to inform his Friends and  
the Public, That he is now selling TEAS of all kinds  
much reduced in price.—What he thinks best worth the mo-  
ney is at 4s. 6d. 8d. 9d. and 1s. per lib.

And for the accommodation of his Tea Customers sells SU-  
GAR also.—Lump Sugar, when bought with Tea, one shil-  
ling per lib.; Double and Single Refined in proportion.—Raw  
Sugar at 7d. 8d. 9d. 10d. to the finest 11d. per lib.—for Ready  
Money.  
Hawthorn Street, Oct. 7. 1799.

**NEW TEAS.**  
For Ready Money Only.  
TO FAMILIES, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.  
CAPITAL HYSON GREEN TEA, 7s. per lb. every leaf  
Genuine; Hyson TEA, equal to most that is now sold at  
2s. and 3s. per pound.  
Superior Hyson Green Tea, 2s. equal to most that is sold at  
10s. per lb.

Capital 5s. Souchong Tea, every leaf Genuine; Souchong  
equal to most that is now sold, 6s. and 7s. per lb.  
Capital best imported high flavoured Gunpowder Green Hy-  
son Tea, only 12s. and 11s. per lb. equal to what is now sold  
at 12s. and 14s. per lb.

All other sorts of Tea cheap in proportion, and One Guinea  
to every Pound of Tea over weight.  
COFFEE, Chocolate, Cocoa, Fresh Spice, and Orangettes,  
of the best qualities.

RAW SUGAR (only) 8d. to 8 1/2d.; fine 9d. to 10d.; Super-  
fine India Sugar (only) 11d. 1/2; and best Lump Sugar only 12d.  
and cheaper if possible—all to Tea Customers.

**AT SHEPPARD'S TEA SHOP.**  
South Bridge Street.  
A Saying.—Sheppard pays ready money for all his Teas,  
which enables him to sell on such favourable terms.  
Proof.—Sheppard sells one thousand pound weight of Tea at  
one penny per pound profit, is at 1s. 1d. in the time other  
dealers only sell at 1s. 2d. per lb. profit, is at 1s. 2d. per lb. profit,  
is at 1s. 10d. The balance in favour of Sheppard, one penny per  
pound profit, is 1s. 13d. 4d. and a saving of eleven pence per  
pound to the public.

Orders with money, or bank bills to the nett amount, or  
change returned in goods, or orders for payment on delivery,  
will be strictly attended to.

**FOR READY MONEY ONLY.**  
TO FAMILIES, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.  
CAPITAL Old Jamaica RUM full proof, 7s. per gallon.  
Ditto ditto, ditto, glass proof, 7s. per gallon.  
Capital Old Antigua Rum, full proof, 11s. ditto.  
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To be Let for two or three years from Whitsunday next, or  
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THE DUTIES payable for the LIGHT-HOUSE on the  
ISLE of MAY, with the Pasture of the Island, and  
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From the great increase of trade at Leith, since these duties  
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The names of the offerers and their terms shall be conceal-  
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payment of the rent, and for performance of the other condi-  
tions of the lease.

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For Complaints in the Stomach and Bowels.  
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**IRISH STATE LOTTERY.**  
Began drawing on Monday the 18th November 1799.  
THE TICKETS ARE SOLD  
and divided into  
Half, Fourth, Eighth, and Sixteenth Shares,  
At the London Prices.  
**BY JOHN WHITE AND CO.**  
At their Licensed State Lottery Office,  
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TICKETS AND SHARES  
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Which began drawing the 3d March, are also selling in  
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Letters (post paid) duly answered.

**HOUSE OF LORDS—October 4.**

**THANKS TO LORD MORNINGTON, &c.**  
Lord GRENVILLE said, it was with the greatest satisfaction he rose to draw their Lordships' attention to the services recently performed by the Governor General of India, and the other officers.

After some very nervous panegyrics on the merits of the Governor General, his Lordship concluded with moving that the thanks of the House be given to Lord Mornington, Governor General of India, for his meritorious conduct in the war which terminated in the destruction of the tyrant of Mysore, and in affording more permanent security to the possessions of the East India Company.

Ordered *non. dis.*  
His Lordship, after a short preface, voted thanks to General Lord Clive, Governor of Bombay; Gen. Harris, Gen. Stuart, and Gen. Baird; and that the House acknowledged and highly approved the services of the men; which was also agreed to *non. dis.*

These thanks to be communicated to them by Lord Mornington.

**MILITIA BILL.**

Lord GRENVILLE moved the order of the day; which being read, he thought it, he said, unnecessary to employ any preface, as he could force no objections to this bill, which had not been unfavourably urged against the same measures, when it received the approbation of the House of Parliament in the last session. Such arguments, indeed, would less apply at present, when they experienced the very useful effects which the former bill had very lately produced.

Earl FITZWILLIAM said, he did not oppose the object of the bill, but did not approve of the principle of thus entrenching on the approved constitution of the militia, and must have very injurious effects on the militia, which would no longer be considered but as a recruiting party for the regulars. He also represented the bad effects of increasing those riots and animosities which had already too much prevailed; where the officers of militia regiments were afraid to look their men in the face, or to walk on their parades, but shut themselves up in their barracks.

Lord HOLLAND observed, that in referring to the object for which this increased force was to be placed at the disposal of the Crown, he would own, that if we could restore Holland to its ancient constitution and independence, it would be a good thing for the interests of this country. He admitted also, that as far as there could be claims of gratitude between foreign individuals and a nation, the Prince of Orange had just claims, not only upon the generosity, but even upon the justice of the country; for it was to his connection with us, it was by our fatal interference in this quarrel, that he was reduced from his former splendid situation to the condition in which he was now placed. But with all these considerations, we should not confine our attention wholly to the interests of Princes. It was granted that the success of the expedition must depend upon the concurrence of the people. That the people now panted to be released from the shackles of slavery under which they groaned would not admit of any doubt. But the question was, whether they would wish to have that liberation accomplished with the restoration of the Stadtholder, whom a proclamation of our Ministers had announced to them as their legitimate Sovereign? What effect might it have produced on them? (Lord Grenville denied that such proclamation came from his Majesty's Ministers.) Holland had too recently experienced that relief and protection, in the language of great states and great armies may be considered as synonymous with massacre and robbery. Let them look to other quarters; let them reflect on the nature of the relief and protection which a republic has afforded to their neighbours in the Netherlands, and which great Sovereigns had given to Poland, Venice, &c. Let them look to ourselves in the negotiation at Paris. Did we offer to restore to them the Cape of Good Hope and Ceylon? or did we not strew ourselves disposed to profit by robbing our ancient allies? As to the manner of conducting the invasion, it may be matter of dispute, whether it was not more defensible for us to make the attempt to restore the ancient form by the troops of our allies only, than by employing any of our own. He knew there were many advantages in employing one's own force only as the most to be depended on in any enterprise, but believed that would be overbalanced by the consideration that in so doing, we were incurring an immense additional expense, and creating discontents and disgust in our best and constitutional defence—the militia of the country.

Lord WESTMORELAND denied that the measure adopted last year had been productive of any of those riots and discontents alluded to by the Noble Lord, and maintained that the officers of the militia deserved the greatest credit for the cheerfulness with which they acquiesced in it.

Lord CARRINGTON argued strenuously against the bill, though he made no doubt but they would be able to get the men, provided they tempted them with money.

Lord HARDWICK said a few words in explanation of the reasons which would induce him to support the bill.

Lord GRENVILLE said, it must be apparent, that when defensive measures were no longer necessary, and that the true interests of the country require offensive operations, it would not be advisable to retain at home a large body of troops which might be employed with singular effect against the enemy in offensive operations. The capture of the Dutch fleet, or at least taking it out of the hands of the enemy, and making it act in alliance with ourselves, was one fruit of the former bill which the whole nation was acquainted, and a proof of the useful manner in which these troops had been employed. Much of what was said by one Noble Lord (Holland) was therefore irrelevant to the present subject; but as he did not wish to decline any opportunity of discussing the topics referred to, he would in the first place shew, that though he differed from the Noble Lord in the conclusions drawn from his observations, yet they would be found to be of the same opinion in the main. The Noble Lord first said, that if the relief of Holland could be effected, it would be a good thing. In that they were agreed.

The object, however, it was said, could not now be effected, without the concurrence of the people; and nothing had yet occurred to indicate sufficiently whether we should have it. For his part, he would not go so far as to say, that on such an occasion some respect and attention should be paid to the restoration of an ancient established Government, even though it should accord with the wishes of the people numerically taken. As to what we had to expect in that way, we had already something more than an indication in the attachment shown to the ancient form by the sailors of the Dutch navy; but we had still a much stronger proof in what the Noble Lord admitted to be the inherent feelings of an afflicted and pillaged people groaning under the detestable yoke of a merciless oppression.

It was said, that we had shewn no disposition to afford them relief or protection when in Lord Malmesbury's embassy we did not offer to restore to them the Cape of Good Hope and Ceylon; but must it not be considered, that before the capture of these places the Dutch became our enemies, and put us to the expense both of blood and treasure, in returning their hostility. No writer on the law of nations, no example of any Statesman, no rule of justice, prescribed any other mode of warfare than that of doing all the injury and making all the acquisitions we were able from the enemy. To restore such acquisitions gratuitously was never the practice of any nation whatever. We did not therefore propose the restitution of these conquests at Lisle, but we proposed to their tax-gatherers and tyrants the restoration of the government and independence of the Dutch people. There was only one more observation which he recollected, and that was the preference of our allies in the performance of this service to our co-operation with them; but as the Noble Lord drew no inference from what he offered on that point, it would not be necessary for him to discuss it.

Lord HOLLAND made a short reply.  
The House then divided, when there appeared for the second reading of the bill, 26—Against it, 3—Adjourned.

**HOUSE OF COMMONS—Oct. 5.**

Mr. PITT, having previously obtained leave, brought in a bill to enable his Majesty to assemble Parliament at a short notice, in case of a long adjournment.

Mr. TIERNEY asked whether any motion was to be made relative to the troops furnished by Russia for the attack of Holland. By the treaty they were only to be 45,000, but he understood that 17,000 more were to be provided for, and that they were to winter in England, in case the attack on Holland should not be persisted in.

Mr. PITT shortly answered, that the treaties were before the House, and a vote of credit having been agreed to, a specific motion on the subject was unnecessary.

In a Committee resolved that the duties on starch imported be equalized with those on starch manufactured at home. The object of this measure is to reduce the price of that article, which has risen from 3l. 20s. to 5l. 10s. and 5l. 15s.

**LONDON.**  
**OCTOBER 7.**

Friday night, Lieutenants Anderson and Hay of the engineers set off from town for Yarmouth, on their way to Holland. Major McKerris of the same corps, and who, on his arrival, will assume the command, waited till four on Saturday morning, when he followed with dispatches for the Duke of York. We have strong reason to believe, that if an action should not have previously taken place, it will not be delayed many hours after the arrival of these dispatches.—*Observer.*

The departure of Colonel Twiss of the Engineers will depend upon the return or continuance of the army, which will be determined by the action that has, or that is about to take place.—*Ibid.*

The last letters from the Texel state, that the transports were under orders to be ready at a moment's notice to take troops on board; and that it is intended to send a reinforcement into the Zuyder Sea, to make disembarkations in various quarters, which may serve as diversions in favour of the grand army, and to cut off or harass the retreat of the enemy.

It has been suggested, that as all the troops that the Republicans could collect are concentrated about Alkmaar, and as the rest of the Batavian territory is comparatively, if not entirely defenceless, a good officer, with 10,000 men, directed to another quarter, might do more than our entire force could accomplish through the present medium of attack. A detachment, at any rate, sent to another quarter, would either be unopposed, or by drawing part of the enemy from the neighbourhood of Alkmaar, facilitate the operations of the Commander in Chief.

The letters from Constantinople, which announced the defeat of the Turks, and the recapture of Aboukir by Buonaparte, appear to have been mere fabrications. Letters have been received from Constantinople one day subsequent to the stated date of the detail of this alleged battle, which not only do not intimate any thing like misfortune on the part of our gallant allies, but, treating of the affairs of Egypt, state, that in the battle of Aboukir, General

Viol, with two thousand French, laid down their arms.

These letters add, that the Grand Signior and the Government were in the best spirits, and that considerable exertions continued to be made to equip an army, which, it was stated, was to join the allies, to retaliate upon the French in their own country some of the calamities in which they had involved so many others.

A letter from on board the Boadicea, of 32 guns, dated off Brest on Monday last, the 30th ult. relates, that Captain Keats had just run into Brest Water, 10 nearly within gun-shot of the batteries, by which means he was enabled to count 47 sail of the line, and 15 frigates, with sails bent, and to all appearance in every respect ready for sea. Other vessels were in a state of preparation, and one ship of the line seemed ready except her foremast, which had been taken out, but which could be replaced and rigged in a few hours. The appearance of the combined fleet by no means accords with the recent accounts of mutiny and extensive desertion; though to these causes alone can we rationally attribute their long continuance in port.

Vice-Admiral Sir William Parker is shortly to proceed to Halifax, to relieve Admiral Vandepuit. The Princess Mary extra Indiaman will probably receive her final dispatches from the India House on Tuesday. Bengal is her destination, and she touches at St Helena.

The Mornington packet, for Madras and Bombay, is expected to be dispatched towards the close of the coming week. Letters for the Cape of Good Hope, Madeira, the Mediterranean, Adriatic, and Levant, America, the several West India Islands, and, in fact, all parts of the globe, now find a safe and expeditious conveyance through the department recently established in the Post-Office.

An officer belonging to La Magicienne arrived at the Admiralty, this morning, with dispatches from the West Indies. The particulars are not supposed to be of an interesting nature.

Admiral Sir John Borlase Warren has arrived at Tobago, with the fleet under his command, from a cruise off Brest. The enemy shewed no disposition to face him.

The Bank, besides granting one million and a half to the West India merchants, has also agreed to issue a large quantity of specie in exchange for its notes, as a relief to our merchants trading to Hamburg. We understand that permission will be given to export it to a certain amount, as a great deal of the distress in Hamburg has arisen from a want of specie. The quantity of paper in circulation at that place has thrown a general distrust on mercantile transactions.

The last Bombay papers, received by the Hamburgh mail, via Constantinople, contain the details of the gallant defence and ultimate capture of the Osterley Indiaman, by the Forte frigates, and the subsequent capture of the latter by the Sybille. The following letter relative to the capture of la Forte is interesting:—

The first broadside from the Sybille killed and wounded between 50 and 60 men on board la Forte, and such was the confusion occasioned by the first impression, that, when the enemy began to cannonade, they fired from both sides. The French Commander, a gallant veteran 60 years of age, was killed soon after the commencement of the action, on which the first Lieutenant assumed the command, and acquitted himself with determined bravery; he exhorted his men to stand to their quarters, there was no alternative with Frenchmen but victory or death, his voice seemed to animate his crew, and, while he retained the command, they fought with vigour and courage.

This officer fell about the middle of the action, and, after his death, the exertions in defence of la Forte were feeble. Finding themselves overmatched, and the steady fire of their antagonist continuing to make dreadful havoc, they endeavoured to make sail, and to prevent their capture by flight. In this attempt the masts were by the board; and being now completely disabled, most of their guns rendered unserviceable, and all their principal officers killed or dangerously wounded, they called for quarter, after a brave and obstinate resistance of an hour and 40 minutes.

La Forte is expected to appear off Calcutta in a few days. Her disabled and battered appearance will afford a better panegyric than words could convey, of the valour of her assailants, as well as that of her defenders.

A letter from on board the Suffolk, off Mangalore, dated May 20th, contains the following information relative to our fleet in India:—

The Squadron off Mangalore consisted of the Suffolk, Admiral Rainier, with the Intrepid, Sceptre, and Trident. They had just experienced a terrible hurricane, in which the Suffolk had in an instant every sail torn away, and what was strange the main-yard snapped right across, a little on the starboard side of the mast.

The Centurion, Fox, and Albion, were cruising in the Red Sea, where it was supposed Admiral Blakeney's Squadron also was. The Victorious, and L'Imperieuse were at Madras. The Orpheus and Hobart off the Maluccas. The Sybille, with her prize la Forte, (perhaps the first frigate in the world) in Bengal river repairing. The Trincomale was cruising in the gulph of Persia, the first British cruiser, it is presumed, that ever navigated that sea. Several other small vessels were cruising. The Trident, being in bad condition, was to be sent home with the next fleet from Madras; the Victorious and Intrepid were to convoy the trade to China.

**YELLOW FEVER.**

We are concerned to state, on the authority of letters received on Sunday from Philadelphia and New York, that the yellow fever rages with considerable virulence in both cities.

Declaration of the Board of Health, published at Philadelphia on the 22d August.

"The Board of Health, desirous of giving to their fellow citizens all the information they are possessed of relative to the prevailing disease in our city, think it their duty to state, that after the most diligent enquiry they have been able to make on the subject, they find that during the last six days there have been a number of persons taken ill, principally in the lower part of the city and suburbs, many of whom have died after a few days sickness, and that at present there are still a considerable number sick; though they are happy to state, from accurate information, a great part of them are apparently on the recovery, and hopes are entertained, from the late change in the weather, which still continues cool, that a check may be given to the progress of the disease;—they are therefore of opinion, (from the mortality, as appears by the list of interments) that at present there is not sufficient ground for the great alarm which pervades the city; but should it so happen that

the disease progresses further, they will, without hesitation state whatever comes to their knowledge, for the information of their fellow-citizens, so as to enable them to judge of the propriety of removing.

By order of the Board,  
EDWARD GARRIGUES, President.  
P. HOLLINGSWORTH, Secretary.

The College of Physicians, in a communication to the Board of Health the same morning, gave it as their opinion, that "a contagious and malignant fever, similar to that which raged in the years 1793, 97, and 98, at present exists in this city, and rages to an alarming degree."

The list of interments alluded to in the above, states, that in the 24 hours ending at noon on the 22d of August, eleven growing persons and eight children had been deposited in the several burying grounds of the city and suburbs.

Letters from New York, of date August 22, say,—"Since the 30th May, the yellow fever has frequently appeared in this city in individual cases; it is now said to be more general, although the Board of Health has not published any notice on the subject. The country people are deterred from coming to our markets, which are consequently ill supplied, and many persons are leaving the town."

Various meetings have been held in the State of Philadelphia respecting the election of a Governor of that State, who have declared their disapprobation of Mr McKean, one of the candidates, for his partiality to French principles, and their determination to support Mr Ross the other candidate.

Notice is given in the papers of the 20th August, that three houses are appointed in Philadelphia for the reception of "lost children."

A fraud has been committed on the North American bank by one of its clerks, to the amount of 15,000 dollars. The offender is in custody.

The desperate and sanguinary conflict that has so long been carried on in St Domingo, between Toussaint and Rigaud, is at length at an end, an order having arrived from the French Directory to remove the latter from his command, and investing the former with the entire authority. A vast number of American ships have been captured in the West Indies by the French cruisers.

Private accounts from France state, that the Directory, despairing of being able to fill up the loan of 100 millions, now think of supplying its place by issuing paper-money, a kind of resource, the discredit of which it does not dissemble. The Department of the Seine, taxed at eight millions of the forced loan, has not yet entered more than 30,000 livres into the public treasury, and this is the cause from which arises the paucity of public money. The salary of the deputies is three months in arrears. None are exactly and duly paid but the Ministers and the Directory. The Commissioners of the Treasury, whose salaries suffer no delay, now experience it as well as the deputies. A fund of 360,000 livres had been instituted in order to pay their demands, and appease their murmurs; but the Minister at War seized no less than 300,000 livres of gold and silver specie of this fund, in order to send it to the armies, and he has only left to the commissioners 60,000 livres, for the purpose for which the lottery was instituted.

**JAMAICA FLEET.**

DEPART, OCT. 5.  
Arrived last night, his Majesty's frigate Magicienne, of 32 guns, and Dromedary, of 24 guns, with the Jamaica fleet under convoy, of which twenty-six ships are for the port of London. The Squirrel sloop of war sailed with the fleet from the West Indies, and parted company on the passage.

**CHALLENGE.**

**FURTHER PARTICULARS OF THIS AFFAIR OF HONOUR.**

We mentioned in Monday's paper, that Sir John Orde had been taken into custody upon a charge of an intention to fight a duel with Admiral Earl St Vincent.

The Public will recollect the serious misunderstanding which prevailed between some of our Commanders on the Cadiz station, about the period when Lord Nelson was sent up the Mediterranean with a detached squadron. It was suggested by the senior Admirals that Lord St Vincent had treated them with some disrespect, by appointing a junior Officer to a separate command.

Several distinguished officers were much disgusted upon that occasion, which also laid the foundation of subsequent misunderstandings and quarrels of a very serious description. Sir John Orde, brother to Lord Bolton, was amongst those who felt themselves most insulted or aggrieved. Upon his return to England he demanded a Court-Martial upon the Noble Commander in Chief, which the Board of Admiralty, exercising their discretion upon the complaint, judged it proper to refuse, but with circumstances, that could not fail to be satisfactory to the feelings of the demandant, who was besides offered the Chief Command upon another station.

Sir John Orde caused the correspondence which had taken place between him and Lord St Vincent to be printed, and distributed it amongst his private and professional friends immediately after the negative put upon his demand by the Admiralty; and it was but too clearly understood, or too justly apprehended, that he would seek another kind of satisfaction whenever it should be consistent with the rules of military subordination to do so.

A challenge was sent to the Noble Earl. Happily the activity of the Magistrate of Bow-Street has been able to frustrate an intention which in every event would have proved injurious to the country.

Mr Justice Ford, however, being informed on Thursday night that the meeting was appointed for next morning, placed peace officers about Durant's Hotel to arrest Sir John as he was entering; but as they did not see him, the officers were ordered to enter the house, which they did accordingly at four in the morning, making to his apartments, and producing their warrant. Sir John, who had ordered himself to be called at five o'clock in the morning, was in bed asleep; of course he submitted to the warrant, though the officers appeared to be very suspicious of his having a design to escape. About ten o'clock Mr Justice Ford came and took bail; Sir John binding himself in 2000l. to keep the peace, and his two sureties, who were Earl Spencer and Mr Dundas, in 1000l. each.

The officers were then ordered to proceed to Lord St Vincent's house at Brentwood, in Essex, to bind his Lordship over also; a party were to go in a chaise with expedition, and another party on foot, the better to intercept his Lordship. When Sir John Orde heard of this, he requested the officers, if they went to Earl St Vincent's house, to proceed with great caution, and to conceal their business from every one but his Lordship, as Lady St Vincent is dangerously ill, and a knowledge of the affair might produce alarming effects.

Lord St Vincent was met by the officers on his way to town on the Romford road; they made known their business, and his Lordship submitted, giving bail the same as Admiral Orde, and the same gentlemen becoming securities, for which purpose they had given authority to the officers. Sir John Orde yesterday set off for Tunbridge Wells, that he might himself be the first to apprise Lady Orde of this transaction.

Instead of Sir John Orde being second in command at the time the difference between him and Earl St Vincent took place, it appears he was only fourth, the Flag Officers on that station being

1. Admiral Earl St Vincent.
2. Vice-Admiral Sir Roger Curtis, Bt.
3. Vice-Admiral Sir William Parker, Bt.
4. Vice-Admiral Sir John Orde, Bt.
5. Rear-Admiral Sir Horatio (now Lord) Nelson.
6. Rear-Admiral L. L. Frederick, Esq.



RAMSGATE—October 2.  
Another fleet of transports arrived here this day from Texel. As their was not room for the whole to lie in the outer pier, part went into the inner pier. The water in Holland being exceedingly bad, the number of barrels of water now shipping for our army there such as at one time nearly occupied, in two tiers, the whole length of the pier. Considerable quantities of hay are still shipping here for Holland: Each bundle is pressed as to contain two cwt. in the size of a common truss.

calling upon the Belgians to rise in defence of their ancient government and religion, and promising them speedy and effective assistance.

Dr Jack,  
Mr John Gray,  
Mr Alexander Smith, } Bailies.  
Mr John Irvine, senior, Treasurer.

Mr Dick, Surgeon, Dundee	Mr Millar, druggist, Perth
Mr. Anderson, Stirling	Mr Gray, merchant, Hawick



**SEQUESTRATION OF ASSETS.**  
Creditors of **ANDERSON, JAMES, & Co.** Sequestrated in Edinburgh, to see states of their affairs with Donald McAlane, merchant there, the trustee, till the 9th November, when they will receive their dividends.  
— **THOMAS GORDON** in Spynie, to see states of his affairs with the trustee till the 23d of October, when they will meet in Andrew Pirie's, vintner in Elgin, to determine on matters of importance.  
— **JAMES KEITH**, Tanner in Dundee, to see states of his affairs with William Webster, jun. merchant there, the trustee, till the 14th November, when they will meet in Alexander Morrien's, vintner there, at noon, to give directions relative to matters of importance.—No dividend.

**TO CREDITORS.**  
**THE** Trustee of the sequestrated Estates of **JAMES REID & CO.** merchants in Liverpool, and of **JAMES REID**, senior, and **JAMES REID**, junior, the individual partners thereof, hereby intimates, That a **GENERAL MEETING** of their Creditors is to be held on Thursday the 31st of October next, within the Mason Lodge of Liverpool, at one o'clock, to give directions in terms of the statute, for the disposal of the said **ESTATES**, and he requests the whole Creditors by themselves, or their agents, to attend accordingly.  
Not to be repeated.

**SALE OF HOUSE IN CASTLE STREET.**  
To be sold by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 13th day of November next, at two o'clock afternoon.

**THE** HOUSE in South Castle Street, which belonged to Mrs. McDowall of Castlehouse, consisting of a Parlour, Storey entering from the street, and a Sunk Storey, with cellars, &c.—A **STABLE** and **COACH-HOUSE**, which belonged to Mrs. McDowall, will be sold along with the house.  
The premises may be seen any lawful day.—Apply to Archibald and John Todd, writers to the signet, who have power to conclude a private bargain, in which case the entry may be immediately.

**SALE OF BREWERIE, DWELLING HOUSE, &c.**  
At the Foot of Campbell's Close, north side of the Canongate. To be sold by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday, the 6th day of November, 1799, between the hours of one and two o'clock afternoon.

**ALL** and **HALL** that **DWELLING HOUSE**, lying on the east side, and at the foot of the Close called Campbell's Close, on the north side of the Canongate, with a **BREWERIE** belonging thereto, lying on the opposite side of the Close, consisting of a Brewhouse, Tanhouse, Stothouse, and Stable, with the Malt-barn, and three Lotts above the same, with the Malt-kiln, and Peat-house, adjoining thereto, and Steephouse, with the Wells belonging to the said Brewhouse and Malt-barn, Lead Pump, and hall other pertinents of the said Brewhouse and Dwelling House; with the Yard in use, to be set with the said Brewhouse, lying between the said Brewhouse and kilns. Which whole subjects formerly belonged to the deceased David Morrison, brewer in Canongate, and will be exposed to sale in one lot.  
But, in the event of their not selling in one lot, they will be exposed in the following lots, viz.

**LOR I.** To consist of the Dwelling House, lying upon the east side, and at the foot of Campbell's Close.  
**LOR II.** To consist of the whole remaining Subjects above described; but this lot, if intending purchasers shall incline, will be also divided into two lots.—The first lot to consist of the Brewhouse, and others necessary for carrying on the brewing business; and the second lot to consist of the Malt-barn, and others, necessary for carrying on the making business. The purchaser's entry to the whole of this lot may be immediately.  
As these subjects are most eligibly situated for carrying on the brewing and making business, they are worthy the attention of persons in these lines.  
For further particulars apply to James Balfour, writer at Mr. Gibson's, No. 15, York Place, who will show the title-deeds and articles of roup, and who has power to conclude a private bargain between the day of sale, for the whole or any part of the subjects.

**TO BE SOLD.**  
And entered to at Whitsunday next.

**THE** FOLLOWING SUBJECTS in the Canongate, which belonged to the deceased James Boyd.  
**I.** That Large, Commodious and Well-Frequented **INN**, at the head of the Canongate, called the "White Horse" or **Boyd's Inn**, presently possessed by Mrs. McFarlane, consisting of two dining rooms, parlour, 13 bed-rooms, and closets, servants' bed-rooms, a small writing closet, a large convenient kitchen and larder, wine cellar with catacombs, coal and beer cellars, together with stabling for 50 horses, back yard or stable court, pump well and coach house therein, poultry house, and other office houses. The hay lofts will contain from 4000 to 5000 stones of hay, and there is likewise an excellent corn loft within the premises. Alongst with this Inn and offices will also be sold a cellar upon the east side of the close, and two small stables, a midden stead and hay loft above, in Gullon's Close, immediately opposite to part of the stables belonging to the Inn. The premises lie contiguous, and have free entries from the Canongate by Boyd's and Gullon's closes, and a Coach entry from St. Mary's Wynd.

**II.** That **DWELLING HOUSE**, being the western half of the first story of the largest tenement called Inglis's Land at the south side of the head of the Canongate, consisting of two fire rooms fronting the street, with a closet in each, kitchen and bed chamber in the back part, and a small fire room entering off the passage, with a cellar entering from Gibb's close having two vaults or fire places therein, as lately possessed by Mrs. Boyd.

**III.** That other **DWELLING-HOUSE** being the eastern half of the said first story of Inglis's Land, consisting of two fire-rooms fronting the street, with a closet in the eastern fire-room, a Kitchen and Bed-chamber in the back part, a small fire-room entering of the passage, with a Garret, and a Cellar at the foot of the scale stair, as possessed by Mrs. Boyd, and Hugh Nimmo, baker in Canongate.

These two houses can be possessed either in one or two lodgings, and will be sold either together or separately, as purchasers incline.

**IV.** A **HOUSE** in Gullon's Close, the lower part of which is possessed by John Clark and William McFarlane, porters, and the upper story, having a distinct entry, by David Millroy, storkingmaker. This property adjoins with the offices belonging to the Inn, and if the purchasers incline, will be sold along with it.

**V.** That **TENEMENT** of **LAND** opposite to Galloway's entry, Canongate, consisting of two shops below, possessed by Mrs. Rough and John Waters, and two small houses above, possessed by Anthony McGown and Mrs. Thornburn, with a dwelling-house and stable behind the same, possessed by William Johnston, stabler.

The purchasers will have access to the whole at Whitsunday next. The tenants and servants in the houses, excepting that lately possessed by Mrs. Boyd, will show the respective premises. And the title-deeds, conditions of sale, and plan of the subjects in Lots I, IV, and V, will be seen in the hands of James Marshall, W. S. to whom application may be made for further particulars.

**N. B.** The subjects, if not disposed of by private bargain before the 20th November next, will, after that time, be exposed to public sale, in the month of January 1800, of which due notice will be given of the time and place of sale by public advertisement.

**EXTENSIVE FARMS IN FIFESHIRE.**  
To be let for 19 years.

**THE** FARM of **LOGIE**, lying in the parish of Flisk.—It consists of 307 acres Scots measure, or thereby, and is at present possessed by George Melville.

**II.** The **FARM** of **HIGHAM**, nearly adjoining to Logie.—It consists of 285 acres Scots measure, or thereby, and is possessed by Robert Walker.

The entry to Logie to be at Martinmas 1799, to Higham at Martinmas 1800. The Farms will be let together or separately.  
They contain a great deal of good wheat land, and ground fit for turnips. One of them lies on the south bank of the Tay; the distance between the two is not above half a mile, and they are both within three miles of the thriving town of Newburgh.

Peter Brown, at Wester Flisk Mill, the baron officer, will show the Lands, and proposals for a lease of the Farms, together or separately, to be given in writing to Messrs. Innes and Handyside, writers to the signet; or to George Aiken, writer in Cupar.—Such as are not accepted will be concealed, and returned if desired. Offers are requested to specify what they will require for new buildings or repairs.

**LANDS AFFORDING FREEHOLD QUALIFICATIONS IN BERWICKSHIRE.**

To be sold by public roup, in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday 16th October 1799, at six o'clock afternoon.

**I.** **THE** LANDS of **CROSSRIGG**, with the Teinds thereof, lying in the parish of Hutton, presently under tack to Adam Johnston, which will expire at Whitsunday 1806, at a rent of 280l. besides relieving the proprietor of public burdens. There is a commodious Dwelling-house and Offices on the farm, which is mostly inclosed and subdivided; and as the tenant is bound to leave the fences in proper repair, and to manage the farm so as to leave it in a high state of cultivation, a great rise of rent may be expected. The lands consist of above 400 English acres. They hold of the Crown, and extend to 319l. 15s. 10d. of valuation, but with the superiority of Berwickshire, which is 148l. 11d. and will be sold along with this lot, extend to 467l. 16s. 9d. of valuation, and will thereby afford a Freehold Qualification.

**II.** **BERRYHAUGH** and **BERRYBANK**, lying contiguous in the parish of Coldingham, with the Teinds. The former presently under tack, which will expire at Whitsunday 1804, at a rent of 60l. The houses are not good, but from its vicinity to Berwickshire, new ones will not be necessary.—The land is very good, but not yet improved. Berrybank is presently under lease to Thomas and James Murray, which will expire at Whitsunday 1811, at a rent of 180l. The houses are mostly new. The farm is partly inclosed, and the tenant is bound to keep and leave the fences in good repair.—Berrybank holds of a subject superior. Berrybank holds at present of the Crown, but it is proposed to annex the superiority of it to Crossrigg, to make up a Freehold Qualification, so that Berrybank will in future hold of the proprietor of Crossrigg.

**III.** **EARNSLAW, GREYSTONERIGG, and NUNLANDS**, with the Teinds, lying in the parish of Eccles, presently under tack to James Smith, which will expire at Whitsunday 1812, at a rent of 213l. The house and offices are most substantial and commodious, and the farm is all inclosed and properly subdivided. The fences are in the best condition, and the tenant bound to leave them so. He is also bound to a regular rotation of cropping; and the farm at the end of the lease must be in excellent order; a great rise of rent may therefore be expected. The lands hold of the Crown, and afford a Freehold Qualification. They consist of about 280 English acres.  
The tenants will show the lands; and further particulars may be learned by applying to David Thomson, W. S. No. 24, South Frederick Street, Edinburgh, or John Lang, Sheriff-clerk, Selkirk, either of whom have power to conclude a private bargain.

**ESTATE OF DRUM,**

In the immediate vicinity of Edinburgh.

**THE** LANDS and **ESTATE** of **DRUM and OTHERS**, with the **TEINDS** and **Pertinents** thereof, lying in the parish of Liberton and county of Edinburgh, not having been sold by private bargain, are to be now exposed to public roup and sale, as formerly advertised, in **SMALL LOTS**, for the accommodation of purchasers, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 23d day of October next, (in place of the 16th, as mentioned in the last Advertisement) and to be put up to sale exactly at one o'clock afternoon.

**LOR I.**—Will consist of the Mansion House of Drum, Offices, Gardens, and Lunn, with sundry adjoining Inclosures to the extent of 63 English acres or thereby; and the purchaser of this Lot will have right to a Freehold Qualification in the county of Edinburgh.

**LOR II.**—Comprehends the Inclosure commonly called the **Deer Park**, containing about 31 English acres, together with the **Seams of Coal** and formerly Advertis'd.

**LOR III.**—The **Dove Cote Park**, containing about 22 English acres.

**LOR IV.**—The **Yellow House or Moor Park**, containing about 29 English acres.

**LOR V.**—The **Houses, Garden, Stable, and Park of Danderhall**, extending to one Scotch acre or more.

**LOR VI.**—The **Easter and Wester Cow Parks**, containing about 31 English acres.

**LOR VII.**—The **Coal View Park**, containing nearly two English acres.

**LOR VIII.**—The **Candlemaker Park**, containing about 21 English acres.

**LOR IX.**—The **Large Fountain Head Park**, the North-most half of the Sheep Park, and another Inclosure adjoining to the East Row of Houses in the village of Gilmerton, and amounting the said Inclosures to about 28 English acres, with the whole Dwelling Houses in the said village of Gilmerton, to the number of 19.

**LOR X.**—The **Easter and Wester Quarry Parks**, with the North Green Seams of Coal, and the Lime Quarry, and containing about 24 English acres; or if this lot is not sold by itself, each of the said two inclosures will be exposed to sale separately.

In the arrangement of the above lots, the several very desirable situations for building have been paid particular attention to, and it is not doubted, that the present allotments will meet the ideas of intending purchasers.  
After the sale of the aforesaid lots, the remainder of the estate will then be exposed in the several lots formerly specified.

For all further particulars application can be made to Robert Dundas, writer to the signet, or Charles Fozard at the Drum.

**ESTATE IN THE COUNTY OF BERWICK.**

To be sold by Public Roup or Private Bargain,

The day of sale to be afterwards fixed.

**THE** LANDS and **BARONY** of **KIMMERGHAME**, lying in the parish of Edrom, and county of Berwick.

This estate, which is well inclosed, contains about 1820 English acres of rich arable ground, all let on improving leases, to substantial tenants, except about 150 acres in grass, let annually, or in the proprietor's hands. The net rental for this year is only 1577l. 11s. 5d. Sterling; next year it rises about 100l. more. Several of the principal farms are let at low rents. Their leases expire in the course of a few years, when a very considerable rise of rent may be depended upon. The farm-houses, fences, and inclosures have been built out, and finished in the most substantial manner, and are in complete repair, and excellent order. The estate is situated in the most populous part of Berwickshire, two miles south of the post town of Dunse, and about twelve miles from the great market towns of Kelso and Berwick-upon-Tweed. The river Blackadder runs through the estate, and within two hundred yards of the present mansion-house. The mansion-house, though small, is in good repair. There is a good garden, with hot-house, &c. and there has lately been built a complete and extensive court of offices. There is shell maele, and an excellent going free-stone quarry upon the estate. The old wood is extensive and valuable, and the stripes and clumps of young planting and policy are all in a thriving condition. The lands hold blench of the Crown, and are of sufficient valuation to afford five Freehold Qualifications. The teinds are valued, and belong to the proprietor.—The lands will be shown upon enquiring at Kimmerghame House; and for further particulars application may be made to Mr. Low at Woodend; Mr. Veatch at Swinton-mill, Berwickshire; and Mr. Swinton, W. S. Edinburgh; in whose hands the title-deeds, rental, plan, and measurement, may be seen, and who has power to conclude an immediate private bargain.

**JUDICIAL SALE OF**

**LANDS IN THE SHIRE OF WIGTON.**

To be sold by public roup, within the New Session House of Edinburgh, by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, on Wednesday the 18th of December 1799, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon, in whole or in parcels.

**ALL** and **Whole** the **LANDS** and **ESTATE** of **AIRIES**, consisting of the Forty-Shilling Land of Airies, and Forty Shilling Land of Knockbrake, with the teinds and pertinents, and Part of the Lands of Knocktyrn, all lying in the parish of Kirkcubbin, and shire of Wigton.

The free rental of the lands, after paying all public burdens and feu-duties, is 498l. 16s. 1d. Sterling, and the upset price is 12,470l. 2s. 1d. Sterling, being only twenty-five years purchase, and all the lands are low rented.

There is an heritable right to the teinds, which are also valued.

The lands hold feu of the Earl of Galloway, for payment of a feu-duty of 21l. yearly. They are remarkably well inclosed with stone fences.

The title-deeds of the estate, which are clear, and the articles of roup, are to be seen in the office of Mr. Murray, deputy clerk of Session, and in the hands of Archibald Todd, W. S. to whom application may be made for further particulars.

Mr. William Ross, Stranraer, factor upon the estate, will show the lands.

**TAN-WORK AT ABEROATH.**

To be sold by public roup, upon the 11th November 1799

on the spot, at 12 o'clock noon.  
**THE** WHOLE HERITABLE PROPERTY, in one Lot, belonging to the **TAN-WORK**, being the only Work of that kind in or about the Town. It was substantially set down, and is in very good repair—has a constant supply of running water; and contains eighty-four Pits, for the different operations of tanning leather; Bark-locks, that will hold 100 tons; Drying Shades are large; Bark-mill, Currying Shop and Stove, Leather Cellars, Stable, Hay-loft, and a Dwelling-house and Garden. As the proprietor is to dispose of this subject on account of his health, the purchaser may have access to work in his leather as he works his out, or have the whole leather on hand, upon a fair valuation.

For particulars, or private bargain, apply to **JAMES LOWSON**, Aberoath, the proprietor, who will give every reasonable advice to a purchaser, if required.

**FARMS IN TWEEDDALE.**

To be let, and entered to at Whitsunday next.

**THE** Following **FARMS**, in the parishes of Peebles and Edlinton, belonging to Miss Elliot:—

**I.** **CHAPPELHILL** and **WHITELEA HOUSE**, presently possessed by John and Alexander Forsyth.

**II.** **ELIOT PARK**, presently possessed by John Logan.

**III.** **BURNHEAD** and **MANSLAND**, presently possessed by John Forsyth, and containing, besides property lands, a servitude of pasturing five scores of sheep on a common immediately adjoining.

Thomas Cranston, W. S. No. 23, North Castle Street, Edinburgh, will give every necessary information as to the extent of the farms, and the conditions of the new leases; and the lands will be shown by the present tenants, or by John Russell, the ground officer at Peebles. Offers will be received by Mr. Cranston till the 11th of November; and those that are not accepted will be concealed, if desired.

**FARM IN FIFE.**

To be let for such number of years as can be agreed on,

and to be entered to at Martinmas first.

**THE** WEST MAINS of **KILBRACKMONT**, lying in the parish of Kilmorquhar, and county of Fife, as presently possessed by John Forbes, and containing about 138 acres of rich arable land. A part of the farm is inclosed with stone dykes, and about 50 acres are in grass, more than one half of which is old, and has been pastured. The farm lies within four measured miles of the harbour of Ely, and eight miles of Cupar, the county-town, and there is plenty of coal and lime in the neighbourhood.

Proposals in writing may be given in betwixt and Martinmas next, to Mr. James Walker, W. S. Edinburgh; or to Mr. Whyte in Crail; and those rejected will be concealed if desired.

**SALE OF SAUCHRIE IN AYRSHIRE.**

The upset price being now reduced from 8500l. to 7000l.

**THE** LANDS and **ESTATE** of **SAUCHRIE**, lying in the parish of Maybole and shire of Ayr, are to be exposed to public auction, in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, in Edinburgh, on Friday the 15th day of November next, between the hours of one and two o'clock afternoon.

This estate consists of 755 English acres; it is three miles distant from the town of Maybole; six miles from Ayr; and about the same distance from coal and lime, to which there is easy access by good roads. The free yearly rent (the public burdens being trifling) is 2541l. 15s. 10d. which must rise considerably on the expiry of the present leases.—About 300 acres of the lands are inclosed and subdivided; the fields are in general well watered, and sheltered with hedge-rows of old trees and broad belts of planting, all which are in the most thriving condition. There are nearly 40 acres of wood on this property, of very considerable value, great part of which may be cut and thinned at present with much profit and advantage.

The Mansion-house is delightfully situated, with suitable Offices and an excellent Garden; the whole being calculated for the accommodation of a genteel family. The Farm Houses are new and substantial, a purchaser may enter to the immediate possession of above 60 acres of valuable land surrounding the house. The estate and neighbouring country abound with game, and a fine trout stream runs through the lands.—A more desirable country residence is not at present to be found.

This estate is held feu of the Prince. The lands are not thirled to any mill; and the teinds are valued and exhausted. An accurate measurement and plan of the property has been lately made, with an estimate of its value including the growing timber upon the estate, and with the title deeds and leases, may be seen in the hands of Alexander Young, W. S. No. 48, Queen Street, Edinburgh.

A copy of the plan and measurement may likewise be seen in the hands of Thos. McClelland, writer in Ayr, who will furnish every other necessary information; and the house and ground will be shown to any person who may apply for that purpose, at the Mansion-house of Sauchrie.

Offers for a sale by private bargain, will be received by Mr. Young, any time between the day of sale.

**LANDS IN STIRLINGSHIRE.**

To be sold by Private Bargain,

**THE** LANDS of **LOSS**, lying in the parish of Logie, and county of Stirling.

These lands hold of the Crown, lie within three miles of the town of Stirling, and contain 135 acres of arable land and 76 of pasture.

The present rent is only 65l. but the tack expires in about two years, when a great rise will be got.

There is a large quantity of valuable full-grown Wood of different kinds on the lands; and, if agreeable to the purchaser, 600l. of the price may remain for some time in his hands.

For particulars enquire at William Glas, merchant in Stirling, or John Moir, jun. writer to the signet, Edinburgh.

**SALE OF LANDS IN BERWICKSHIRE.**

To be sold by public roup,

**THE** LANDS of **BROOMDYCKES**, presently possessed by

Mr. Peter Trotter, and lying within the parish of Edrom. These Lands are beautifully situated upon the banks of the Whitadder, and consist of 1076 acres English measure, or thereby, besides the ground which is taken up in plantations and belts, which is considerable.—They hold of the Crown, and lie about five miles from the town of Dunse.

The premises are all inclosed and subdivided, and are under lease for payment of 560l. Sterling of rent; but, at the end of the lease, a very great rise of rent will certainly take place.

The day of roup, and the lots into which the Lands are proposed to be exposed to sale, will be afterwards advertised, in case a sale by private bargain does not take place.

Andrew Paxton at Allanbank-house will show the Lands; and for further particulars, apply to Mr. Robert Trotter, W. S. George's Square, Edinburgh, with whom a plan of the Lands is lodged.

**LANDS, COAL, AND HOUSES.**

To be sold by public voluntary roup, in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, on Wednesday the 20th day of November next,

at two o'clock afternoon, if not previously disposed of by private bargain.

**ALL** and **Hall** the **LANDS, COAL, HOUSES**, and other Properties in the neighbourhood of Borrowstounness, which belonged to the deceased David Hardy, comprehending the Grounds of **TEMPLE LANDS**, and the **CROFT LANDS**, sometime since exchanged for the Lands called the **GAWS**.

These lands contain eleven acres or thereby, the former holding of the town of Linlithgow, for payment of a blench duty of one penny; the latter of the Duke of Hamilton, for payment of twenty pence yearly; the other burdens are proportionally small.

These grounds have several Dwelling Houses, and a complete Farm Steading upon them. They lie within a quarter of a mile of Borrowstounness, and are full of coal; the first seam of which is a splint coal, of four feet thick, at the depth of 11 fathom from the surface; the second is also four feet thick, the third eighteen feet; and beneath these, there are two other seams, of four feet each.

The ground and coal rise from the Duke of Hamilton's pits, presently working. A highway passes through the ground, and there are roads in every direction, so as to answer country sale as well as exportation.

The ground is under lease for two years, with a reservation of power to work the coal.

To manufacturers it would be an inestimable property; and if any such incline to purchase, the coal may be sold separately.

The title deeds may be seen in the hands of Archibald Dunbar, W. S. George's Square, who has power to conclude a private bargain, and from whom other particulars may be learned.

**SHIP, &c. FOR SALE.**

To be sold by public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, on Wednesday the 23d day of October 1799, at one o'clock afternoon.

**THAT** SHIP, with **BACK ROOM**, and **APPARTMENTS** under the same, fronting the Tron Church, Edinburgh, and **CELLAR** in the Bull Close, and **GARRET** in Miln's Square, belonging to the daughters of the late Mr. Paul Husband, merchant in Edinburgh, and presently possessed by Messrs Husband, Elder, and Co. who will show the property.

The purchaser to have right to the premises from Whitsunday next, at which term the price is made payable.  
For further particulars, apply to John McRitchie, writer, No. 4, Castlehill, who will show the articles of roup, and title deeds.

**SALE OF LANDS IN BERWICKSHIRE,**

By Private Bargain.

**THOSE** PARTS of the **LANDS** and **ESTATE** of **WHITCOMB** and **HILTON**, lying within the united parishes of Whitcomb and Hilton, consisting of the Farms of Deading and Cartrig, Whitcomb Vauls, with the Small Possessions of Hurdies Hill and Claypotts, all presently possessed by John Hordgarth; the Farm of Whitcomb possessed by William Mason; and the Lands called Easter Whitcomb, possessed by David Jeffrey.

These Lands consist of 621 acres, and amount of yearly rent to the sum of 548l. 13s. 6d. and will rise very considerably upon the expiry of the present leases, some of which have only a few years to run; and all the leases contain proper restrictions as to the management of the Farms.

The whole of the above Lands, excepting some small parcels in the town of Whitcomb, hold of the Crown; and it is supposed that, upon a division of the valued rent, there will be sufficient for three freehold qualifications.

The Stipend and School Salary amount to 9l. 10s. 6d. and there is an obligation from the heirs of Sir David Dalrymple of Hallies to relieve all the Lands of any future augmentation of stipend, except the small parcels in Whitcomb.

For further particulars application may be made to Mr. Alexander Low at Woodend, by Dunse, who has full power to conclude a private bargain.

**By Adjournment.**

**SALE OF VALUABLE ESTATES IN THE COUNTY OF FORFAR.**

To be sold on Friday the 8th day of November next, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, between the hours of one and two o'clock afternoon.

**THE** LANDS and **ESTATES** of **BALLINSHOE** and **CRAIGNATHRO**, lying in the Parishes of Kirriemuir and Forfar, together or in lots.

The said lands of Ballinshoe, &c. lie contiguous and within two miles of Forfar and Kirriemuir. They consist of about 1400 acres of rich arable land, (800 of which are substantially inclosed and divided by stone dykes) 200 acres of plaining, and about 500 acres of pasture and moss.

The moss affords not only an abundant supply of fuel to the estate but also for sale. There is likewise in the lands a lot of shell marle easily wrought.

The lands of Craignathro lie in the vicinity of Forfar, and consist of about 300 acres of good arable land, and they are inclosed and subdivided by good stone dykes.

The farm houses of Craignathro are lately built and stand on these lands there is an excellent free-stone quarry, and a quarry of most valuable slate.

The lands of Craignathro will be sold by themselves in one lot; and if the lands of Ballinshoe, &c. are not sold in one lot, they will be exposed in the two following lots, viz.

**LOR I.** Comprehending those parts of the lands of Ballinshoe, lying to the eastward of the public road leading from Forfar to Kirriemuir.

**LOR II.** Comprehending the remaining parts of the lands of Ballinshoe, and lying to the westward of said road.

The present rent of Ballinshoe and Craignathro exclusive of the moss, marle, planting, and quaries, exceeds 1250 Sterling. There are also a considerable number of kaimies of different kinds.

The public burdens are very moderate, being only 15l. 10s. 6d. pecks, 3 lippies meal, 7 holls of bear, and 14l. 17s. 6d. 12th's Sterling.

The whole of these lands are out of lease or nearly so, and very great rises of rent may be depended upon.

The lands of Ballinshoe hold feu of the Earl of Strathmore for payment of 7l. 3s. 9d. 9-12th's Sterling, which is included in the amount of the public burdens above mentioned.

The lands of Craignathro hold of the Crown, and are valued in the cess books at 2331l. 6s. 8d. Scots.

The teinds of the lands of Ballinshoe, &c. in the parish of Kirriemuir were valued in the 1674, and they are nearly exhausted by the late augmentation given to the minister of the parish.

It will be observed that the superiority of the lands of Ballinshoe, Woodhead, and Barisdalefields, returned to fifty shilling land of old extent, is presently for sale, which may be an object to persons intending to purchase the lands of Ballinshoe, &c.